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In re Patent Application of:

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REAL-TIME

OPTIONS TRADING OVER A COMPUTER

**NETWORK** 

Examiner: R. C. Weisberger

## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated October 13, 2004 (Paper No. 09282004), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.